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Pekin Tazewell Co. Ill.
May 1st 1849

We the undersigned citizens of Pekin
and other parts of Tazewell County,
understanding that our late Repres-
entative in Congress Hon. A. Lincoln,
has recommended ^{the appointment of} our townsman
James R. King, to fill one of the
Land Offices at Springfield, sixty
miles from here, and charging said
King, with being an Abolitionist, a
Drunkard and a Gambler, with a
view of defeating his appointment,
do pronounce said charges one and
all to be false - That Mr King
may sometimes drink spirits, or
throw a card for amusement, is
probably true, but that he is either
a Drunkard or Gambler in any
true sense, we utterly deny. We add
that in our opinion, his appointment
would be a proper one, and that we sincerely
hope it may be made.

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